University of Central Missouri (UCM), Warrensburg - Bachelor of Science in Crisis and Disaster Management

One of the oldest programs of its kind in the nation, the program offers option areas in Business Continuity, Emergency Management, Emergency Services Management, and Environmental Hazards. All requirements to complete the Crisis and Disaster Management degree are available both on campus in a face-to-face environment and 100% online.

The degree program facilitates individual professional development in a student-centered learning environment. Its multidisciplinary curriculum focuses on the principles of preparedness, response, mitigation, and recovery in an integrated program of study. The emphasis of the program is applied research, and students who seek this degree are required to complete a practicum which provides them with a structured field experience to complement their educational accomplishments.

The Crisis and Disaster Management degree program collaborates with the Institute for Rural Emergency Management (IREM). IREM is active in public service, training, and emergency responder safety. Students are encouraged to participate in IREM projects.

Additional Information: http://www.ucmo.edu/irem

Major Requirements

CDM 3000: Introduction to Crisis and Disaster Management - 3 credit(s)

CDM 3400: Community Mitigation and Recovery - 3 credit(s)

CDM 4200: Disaster Management Technology - 3 credit(s)

CDM 4400: Research Issues in Crisis and Disaster Management - 3 credit(s)

CDM 4800: Integrated Emergency Management - 3 credit(s)

CDM 4900: Technology Application Studies - 3 credit(s)

CDM 4910: Field Exercise Project (1-3) - 3 credit(s)

CDM 4990: Practicum in Crisis and Disaster Management (3-6) - 3 credit(s)

Business Continuity Area

Approved technical elective

CDM 4715: Business Continuity Planning - 3 credit(s)

CDM 4735: Critical Infrastructure - 3 credit(s)

CDM 4745: Crisis Management - 3 credit(s)

Emergency Management Area

CDM 3035: Emergency Response Planning - 3 credit(s)

CDM 4015: Catastrophic Readiness - 3 credit(s)

CDM 4035: Disaster and Society - 3 credit(s)

Emergency Services Management Area

CDM 4515: Safety and Health for Emergency Responders - 3 credit(s)

CDM 4535: Emergency Services Management - 3 credit(s)

CDM 4575: Emergency Services Personnel Management - 3 credit(s)

Environmental Hazards Area

CDM 3225: Hazardous Materials Emergency Response - 3 credit(s)

CDM 4215: Environmental Disasters - 3 credit(s)

CDM 4245: Managerial Issues in Hazardous Materials - 3 credit(s)

General Education Requirements

Free Electives

University of Central Missouri (UCM) is a member of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools.

Core Capabilities

Community Resilience

Critical Transportation

Environmental Response / Health and Safety

Health and Social Services

Housing

Infrastructure Systems

Operational Communications

Operational Coordination

Planning

Public Information and Warning

Risk and Disaster Resilience Assessment

Risk Management for Protection Programs and Activities

Situational Assessment

Threats and Hazards Identification

Core Competencies

Abide by Professional Ethics

Community Engagement

Disaster Risk Management

Geographic Literacy

Governance and Civics

Leadership

Operate within the EM Framework, Principles, and Body of Knowledge

Possess Critical Thinking

Scientific Literacy

Sociocultural Literacy

Systems Literacy

Technological Literacy

Value Continual Learning

Internship is required

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